

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO
WESTERN DIVISION

CARL G. SIMPSON AND BONNIE REED
SIMPSON, CO-ADMINISTRATORS OF
THE ESTATE OF CARL D. SIMPSON,

ORIGINAL

Plaintiffs,

vs.

Case No. C-1-00014

INTERMET CORPORATION, ET AL.,

Defendants.

DEPOSITION OF BONNIE REED SIMPSON

The deposition of Bonnie Reed Simpson was taken on July 14, 2003, at the approximate hour of 12:25 p.m., at 215 South Fourth Street, Ironton, Ohio.

ELITE COURT REPORTING
5010 Dempsey Drive
Cross Lanes, West Virginia 25313
(304) 776-0975

BRANDY D. MOWERY

1 license. Well, we had no marriage license. That was the
2 only thing.

3 Q. But you talked about it. You and Mr. Simpson
4 decided not to go to the trouble of getting a marriage
5 license?

6 A. We just didn't.

7 Q. You're aware that Mr. Simpson did not list you as
8 a spouse on his tax returns?

9 A. Yes, I am.

10 Q. What was the reason for that?

11 A. I don't know.

12 Q. Did you ever discuss it with him?

13 A. No.

14 Q. He had his taxes prepared by H&R Block?

15 A. Yes, he did.

16 Q. Did you ever go with him to H&R Block?

17 A. Yeah.

18 Q. Did the question ever arise whether you should be
19 listed as a dependant?

20 A. I think, the last year that he filed them, he did
21 claim me as a dependent. I'm not sure.

22 Q. Do you remember any discussions that occurred in
23 your presence at H&R Block about that issue?

24 A. Like I said, the last year, because I usually sat

PROBATE COURT OF Lawrence COUNTY, OHIO

ESTATE OF CARL DAVID SIMPSON

DECEASED

Case No. 99-AM0-15354

SURVIVING SPOUSE, NEXT OF KIN, LEGATEES AND DEVISEES
[R.C. 2105.06, 2106.13, 2107.19]

[Use with those applications or filings requiring some or all of the information in this form, for notice or other purposes. Update as required.]

The following are decedent's known surviving spouse, and other known survivors who are or would be entitled to inherit under the statutes of descent and distribution.

Name	Residence Address	Relationship to Decedent	Birth Date of Minor
		<u>Surviving Spouse</u>	
Jeremy Simpson	3996 C.R. 64 Willowwood, OH 45696	Son	Adult
Angel Marie Simpson	3996 C.R. 64 Willowwood, OH 45696	Daughter	8/14/84

[Check whichever of the following is applicable]

- The surviving spouse is the natural or adoptive parent of at least one of the decedent's children.
- The surviving spouse is not the natural or adoptive parent of any of the decedent's children.
- There are minor children of the decedent who are not the children of the surviving spouse.
- There are minor children of the decedent and no surviving spouse.

Estate of Carl David Simpson

The following are the vested beneficiaries named in the decedent's will:

[Check whichever of the following is applicable]

- The will contains a charitable trust or a bequest to a charitable trust, subject to Revised Code Sections 109.23 and 109.41.
- The will is not subject to Revised Code Sections 109.23 to 109.41, relating to charitable trusts.

October 29 1999

Bonnie Reed Simpson
Carl Simpson
Applicant (or give other title)
Bonnie Reed Simpson & Carl G. Simpson

FORM 1.0 - REVERSE

Know all Men by these Presents

That Clarence O. Lykins and Brenda C. Lykins, husband and ~~Wife~~ Not Necessary,

11-6-97
Ray T. Dutey
 Lawrence County Auditor

Grantor is in consideration of the sum of

One Dollar (\$1.00) and other valuable considerations
 to them paid by Carl D. Simpson
 Carl David Simpson, unmarried,

Grantee, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, do hereby Remise, Release and forever Quitclaim, to the said grantee Carl David Simpson, unmarried, his heirs and assigns forever, the following Real Estate situated in the County of Lawrence, in the State of Ohio, and in the Township of Mason and bounded and described as follows:

The South half of Northeast quarter of Section 31, Township 3, Range 16, containing 84 acres, more or less, less two (2) acres sold to George R. Dement (See D.B. 71, P. 144, and D.B. 58, P. 486).

SAVING AND EXCEPTING 19.57 acres sold to Virgil Yates by deed dated March 30, 1957, as recorded in Deed Book 239, at Page 245, of the Deed Records of Lawrence County, Ohio.

ALSO SAVING AND EXCEPTING 48.66 acres sold to the Maynards in Deed Book 479, Page 252, dated July 23, 1982, Deed Records of Lawrence County, Ohio.

Leaving the balance to be conveyed 13.77 acres. The property is listed on the 1995 Auditor's Duplicate as Parcel Number 13-046-0700.

LAST SOURCE OF TITLE - Deed Book 574, Page 339, Deed Records of Lawrence County, Ohio, deed dated January 14, 1993.

TO THE RECORDER: Please cross-index this deed to the deed Inst recorded in Deed Book 574, Page 339, and Deed Book 618, Page 968046, Deed Records of Lawrence County, Ohio.

SCRIPTION APPROVED
LAWRENCE CO. ENGR.

Date: 1-6-97
Carry Muenker

This Conveyance has been examined and the Grantor has complied with Section 319.202 of the Revised Code.

FEES _____

EXEMPT

RAY T. DUTEY, County Auditor

LAWRENCE COUNTY, OHIO
PREPARED FOR RECORD AT:

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To Have and to Hold said premises, with all the privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging, to the said Grantee, Carl David Simpson, unmarried,

his heirs and assigns forever.

In Witness Whereof, the said Grantors, Clarence O. Lykins and Brenda C. Lykins, husband and wife,

who hereby release their right of dower in the premises, have hereunto set their hands, this 4 day of ~~January~~ JANUARY ninetieth-~~SEVEN~~ SEVEN ~~1997~~ 1997

Signed and acknowledged in presence of

Clarence O. Lykins

Witness

Brenda C. Lykins

Witness

Clarence O. Lykins

Clarence O. Lykins

Brenda C. Lykins

Brenda C. Lykins

The State of WEST VIRGINIA,

Be it Remembered That on this ~~4th~~

of ~~January~~ JANUARY

Notary Public

Charles C. Abel County SS.

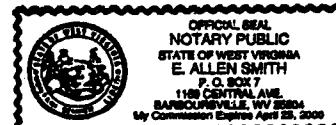
~~4th~~ 1997

day

, A. D. ~~1997~~, before me, the subscriber, a

in and for the said county, personally came the above named Clarence O. Lykins and Brenda C. Lykins, husband and wife,

the Grantors in the foregoing Deed, and acknowledged the signing of the same to be their voluntary act and deed, for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.



(Seal)
This instrument prepared by
Kevin J. Waldo, Attorney,
413 Center Street, Ironton, OH
1/614/532-4911

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my official seal on the day and year last aforesaid

E. Allen Smith
Notary Public, State of ~~WV~~, My Comm.
expires: ~~April 25, 2000~~

I hereby certify that the within document is a
true copy of the original filed in the Recorder's
Office of Lawrence County, Ohio.
Sue Ann Deeds, Recorder

Quit Claim Deed

STATE OF OHIO	RECEIVED FOR RECORD ON THE day of <u>19</u> at <u>o'clock</u> M. and RECORDED <u>19</u> in DEED BOOK <u>PAGE</u> RECORDERS FEE \$ <u>5</u>	19 in PAGE RECORDERS FEE \$ 5
COUNTY OF <u>SS</u>	Transferred	COUNTY RECORDER
MAIL	3996 C.R. 64 Willow Wood, OH 45696	2 Notes

Warranty Deed

Transferred,
12/19/96
Ray T. Dutay
LAWRENCE COUNTY AUDITOR

Know All Men by These Presents

That RUTH MAE MILLER and EUGENE MILLER, husband and wife, of Barboursville, West Virginia, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other valuable considerations to them in hand paid by CARL D. SIMPSON, single, whose address is 3996 County Road 64, Willow Wood, OH 45696, do hereby Grant, Bargain, Sell and Convey to the said CARL D. SIMPSON, single, his heirs and assigns forever, the following described Real Estate,

Situate in the Township of Mason, County of Lawrence and State of Ohio, to wit:

The South half of Northeast quarter of Section 31, Township 3, Range 16, containing 84 acres, more or less, less two (2) acres sold to George R. Dement (See D.B. 71, P. 144 and D.B. 58, P. 486).

SAVING AND EXCEPTING 19.57 Acres sold to Virgil Yates by deed dated March 30, 1957, as recorded in Deed Book 239, at Page 245, of the Deed Records of Lawrence County, Ohio.

For source of title reference is made to deed from Maude Saunders and Otto Saunders to Virgil Yates and Hester Yates, dated August 22, 1968, as recorded in Deed Book 341, Page 585, Deed Records of Lawrence County, Ohio.

The above described premises are listed on the 1968 Auditor's Duplicate of Lawrence County, in Mason Township, as Part S. 1/2 N.E., R. 16, T. 3, S. 31 - 62.43 acres, on Page 43, Line 8 thereof. Saving and excepting from the 62.43 acrece 48.66 acres leaving a balance of 13.77 acres to be conveyed.
PRIOR SOURCE OF TITLE: Deed Book 315, page 516, Deed Records of Lawrence County, Ohio.

LAST SOURCE OF TITLE: Deed Volume 574, Page 339, Deed Records of Lawrence County, Ohio.

PARCEL NO. 13-046-0700.

and all the Estate, Right, Title and Interest of the said grantors in and to said premises; **To have and to hold the same, with all the privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging, to said grantee, CARL D. SIMPSON, his heirs and assigns forever, and the said RUTH MAE MILLER and EUGENE MILLER, do hereby Covenant and Warrant that the title so conveyed is Clear, Free and Unencumbered, and that they will Defend the same against all lawful claims of all persons whomsoever.**

DESCRIPTION APPROVED:

This Conveyance has been examined and the Grantor has complied with Section 319.202 of the Revised Code.

Warranty Deed

In Witness Whereof, the said RUTH MAE MILLER and EUGENE MILLER, husband and wife, have hereunto set their hands, this 18th day of December, in the year A. D. nineteen hundred and ninety-six (1996).

Signed and acknowledged in presence of us:

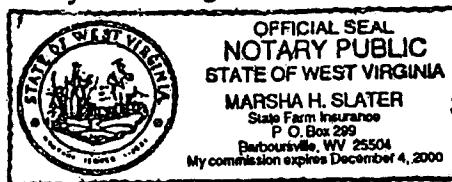
Ruth Mae Miller
RUTH MAE MILLER

Eugene Miller
EUGENE MILLER

State of West Virginia, County of Cabell, ss.

On this 18th day of December, 1996, before me, a Notary in and for said County, personally came RUTH MAE MILLER and EUGENE MILLER, husband and wife, the grantors in the foregoing deed, and acknowledged the signing thereof to be their voluntary act and deed.

Witness my official signature and seal on the day last above mentioned.



Marsha H. Slater
Notary

This instrument was prepared by LAMBERT & McWHORTER, Attorneys at Law.

I hereby certify that the within document is a true copy of the original on file in the Recorder's Office of Lawrence County Ohio.

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